

FERRY BOAT LAUNCHED AT FORE RIVER PLANT

QUINCY, July 25—A passenger and freight ferry boat, built to run between Norfolk, Va, and Capt Charles, was launched last evening at the Fore River plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation. The boat was given the characteristic name of Virginia Lee by Miss Alice Withington Crement, daughter of Vice Pres Crement of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, owner.

After the launching, the sponsor and 18 guests who came on for the launching in private cars, were taken to the Algonquin Club in Boston, where Miss Crement was presented a handsome wrist watch by the Fore River Company and also with the fragments of the christening bottle, which were encased in a golden meshwork and tied with tricolored ribbons, the whole being inclosed in a teakwood box. A luncheon followed the presentation. The Virginia Lee is 300 feet long, 42 feet breadth and 17 feet in depth.

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